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Tom and Opal Peurifoy, left, assist Hershel Owens, of Seneca, and Frances Waters, of Westminster, at the United Way of Oconee County headquarters in Seneca Tuesday afternoon. The United Way of Oconee County and the South Carolina Department of Social Services are partnering the issuance of free coupons to low income individuals age 60 and older that can be used to purchase fresh produce at a local participating farmers market.

United Way to issue free coupons for Senior Nutrition Program 2007

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SENECA — Low income individuals, age 60 and older, are encouraged to visit the United Way of Oconee County headquarters to receive free coupons that may be used to purchase fresh produce at a local participating farmers market.

LaShauna Harrison, of the United Way, said the agency is partnering with the Department of Social Services to issue \$25

worth of coupons to eligible individuals that may be used through Oct. 15. The issuance, conducted on a first come, first served basis, began Tuesday and will continue from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. today and Thursday or until supplies are exhausted.

Seniors desiring to apply for food stamps are also encouraged to visit the United Way headquarters during this time. For additional information, contact the United Way Information and Referral Line at 882-8889.